

2002-2003 Annual Report

**Making a
Difference for
Children**

*Children's Network
San Bernardino County*

Children's Network

Children's Network of San Bernardino County concerns itself with "children at risk" defined as minors who, because of behavior, abuse, neglect, medical needs, educational assessment, or detrimental daily living situations, are eligible for services from one or more of the Children's Policy Council Member Agencies. Those agencies include:

Board of Supervisors	Juvenile Court
Department of Children's Services	Transitional Assistance
Behavioral Health	Inland Regional Center
County Administrative Office	Probation Department
Children's Fund	Public Health
Sheriff's Office	Preschool Services
County Counsel	County Library
Community Action Partnership	Public Defender
Economic & Community Development	Superintendent of County Schools
Arrowhead Regional Medical Center	San Bernardino City Unified
District Attorney	First 5 San Bernardino

Moments in America for All Children

Every 20 Seconds

a child is arrested.

Every 23 Seconds

a baby is born to an unmarried mother.

Every 36 Seconds

a child is abused or neglected.

Every 37 seconds

a baby is born to a mother who is not a high school graduate.

Every 41 Seconds

a baby is born into poverty.

Every 59 seconds

a baby is born without health insurance.

Every minute

a baby is born to a teen mother.

Every 2 minutes

a baby is born at a low birth weight.

Every 4 minutes

a baby is born to a mother who received late or no prenatal care.

Every 4 minutes

a child is arrested for drug abuse.

Every 8 minutes

a child is arrested for violent crimes.

Every 19 minutes

a baby dies before his first birthday.

Every 42 minutes

a child or teen dies in an accident.

Every 3 hours

a child or teen is killed by a firearm.

Every 5 hours

a child or teen commits suicide.



Source: Children's Defense Fund Action Council

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2003 San Bernardino County Children Data Summary

According to the California Department of Finance, there were 598,533 children and youth under the age of 18 years in San Bernardino County in year 2003. This represents 32.3% of the County's total population. Of the children and youth under 18 years of age in the County, the highest percentage was among Hispanics.

(Prepared by: *Program Analysis and Statistics, County of San Bernardino Department of Public Health; U.S. Dept. of Commerce, 2000 Census of Population and Housing, Summary File 1 May 2003*)

In January 2003 there were 73,578 children in Cal WORKS families. That represents a 1.9% decrease in the number of Cal WORKS children since 2002 (74,955 children) and a 21.6% decrease since 1999 (93,758 children).

(Source: *HSS Legislation and Research Unit*)

In the 2002-03 school year the Countywide Student Enrollment was 407,228 students, a 3.3% growth in enrollment over the 2001-02 school year. Out of that number, 43,497 were Special Education Students.

(Source: *San Bernardino County Superintendent of Schools*)

In 2002 there were 36,791 children referred to the Department of Children's Services for suspected child abuse and neglect. That represents a rate of 88.4 per 1000 children at risk of child abuse and neglect, compared to a rate of 64.3 per 1000 in 2001.

(Source: *Department of Children's Services*)

In 2002, there were 5,756 minors booked into the Central Valley Juvenile Detention and Assessment Center, a 2.7% decrease over 2001, 5914 minors. There were 160 minors booked into the new West Valley Juvenile Detention and Assessment Center between January and April 2003.

(Source: *San Bernardino County Probation Department*)

In the San Bernardino County 2003 Homeless Census and Survey, 737 total children under the age of 18 were counted Countywide.

In April 2003, there were 2,211 San Bernardino County children and youth placed in State Licensed Institutions, a 16.8% increase over April 2002 (1,840 children in placement).

(Source: *San Bernardino County Human Services System Auditing.*)

2002-2003 **Children's Network Outcomes**

Children's Network strives to improve outcomes for at-risk children and their families through its various organizational components. What follows are the fiscal year 2002-2003 outcomes for those components.

Children's Network Policy Council

In the fall of 2002, the Children's Policy Council established priority goals to create a comprehensive continuum of services to improve outcomes for high risk/multiple need children and their families. Those priorities and related outcomes are highlighted here.

PRIORITY:

"Consolidating and integrating interagency, interdisciplinary strategic planning processes to identify service gaps and overlaps"

OUTCOMES:

1. Creation of the Department of Behavioral Health Strategic Plan for Children's Services.
2. Collaboration with First 5 San Bernardino on their strategic plan for children, ages 0-5.





Outcomes Continued:

PRIORITY:

"Maximizing the use of existing local, state, and federal funds, and opportunities for other funding sources, including grants".

OUTCOMES:

1. Technical assistance and support to both County agencies and non-profit agencies on grant research and preparation.
2. Development of the *Program Braided Funding Worksheet*.

PRIORITY:

"Expanding support and treatment services for substance abusing pregnant and parenting women".

OUTCOMES:

1. Revised the *Perinatal Plan on Alcohol and Drug Abuse*.
2. Facilitated policy level planning on resource development and Perinatal Program expansion.

PRIORITY:

"Expanding the continuum of pre-placement prevention and residential treatment resources for high-risk children in the Child Welfare, Juvenile Justice, Behavioral Health, and Special Education systems".

OUTCOMES:

1. Coordinated Children's System of Care planning and implementation.
2. Facilitated the *Multidisciplinary Team/Family Preservation Council* process Countywide.
3. Developed 22 new RCL 14 Group Home Beds, and supported rate increases for 5 San Bernardino County Group Home programs through the San Bernardino County Group Home Support Letter Protocol; received Board of Supervisors approval for the 2002 Group Home Needs Assessment.

Child Abuse Prevention Council

Children's Network serves as the Board of Supervisor's appointed Child Abuse Prevention Council for the County. The Child Abuse Prevention Planning Committee facilitates the Child Abuse Prevention Campaign every April and throughout the year and facilitates the "Fun in the Sun" Campaign.

OUTCOMES:

1. Over 500 attendees participated in the 2003 recognition Breakfast honoring more than 20 individuals and businesses for their work on behalf of children in San Bernardino County.
2. 14 Cities joined the Board of Supervisors in proclaiming April as Child Abuse Prevention Month, in recognition of the national public awareness campaign.
3. Over 250,000 pieces of educational materials were distributed countywide, with thousands more circulated by our 131 campaign partners.

Children's Network Joined the Southern California Counties Child Abuse Prevention Regional Coalition to coordinate and support outreach to families and to create one message to raise awareness for children throughout Southern California.

Child Care and Development Planning Council

The Child Care and Development Planning Council (CCPC) was established by the Board of Supervisors and the County Superintendent of Schools to establish priorities for the use of child care funds in the County, and develop other plans as needed to meet the child care needs of children and their families. The CCPC also disburses State funded stipends to qualified child care staff in the County, to increase training opportunities and retain qualified child care staff.

Children's Network, through the Child Care Planning Council, administers the Federal Early Learning Opportunities (ELO) grant. In partnership with Behavioral Health, Public Health, and California State University San Bernardino, the ELO grant is providing training and assessment services to special needs children and their families in ten child care sites throughout the County.

OUTCOMES:

1. AB 212 Child Care Staff stipends distributed: 341 refunds for a total of \$675,650.
2. Early Learning Opportunities (ELO) trainings provided: 21.
3. ELO services provided to identified children: 605

Fun in the Sun 2003

OUTCOMES

1. 12 Cities issued proclamations for the Safe Kids Summer 2003 campaign and participated with San Bernardino County in the distribution of materials to raise awareness of child safety.
2. 2003 Safe Summer materials distributed: 180,000, with immeasurable numbers provided by member agencies.
3. 2003 Safe Summer community events & presentations: 135

Family Preservation Councils

The Family Preservation Councils are multidisciplinary teams that meet monthly, or more often as needed, in every region of the County. The Councils' goal is to prevent child abuse and neglect on an individual case by case basis, through the creation of interagency service plans, mobilizing community based resources to support the child and family, and to eliminate the need for out of home placement.

OUTCOMES:

1. Number of cases presented: 660
2. Number of children diverted from placement: 597
3. Estimated local foster care cost savings: \$850,000



Grants: Technical Assistance & Community-Based Support

Children's Network provides technical assistance to both County agencies and Community-based Organizations (CBO's) in researching grant funding, and the development of grant proposals. The CBO Partnership Program also distributes County surplus property to CBO's.

OUTCOMES:

1. Number of grants developed for County Agencies: 9.
2. Monetary value of grants secured for County Agencies: \$815,000.
3. Number of grants developed for CBO's: 13.
4. Monetary value of grants secured for CBO's: \$752,809.
5. Monetary value of surplus property distributed: \$57,499.



Interagency & Community Partnerships



Interagency & Community Partnerships

In an effort to improve outcomes for children and their families, Children's Network helps to establish and support partnerships with other public and private child serving agencies throughout San Bernardino County. The following is a listing of some of the Partnerships in which Children's Network is involved:

*Head Start Shared
Governance Board*

*County School Atten-
dance Review Board*

*Countywide Gangs
& Drugs Task Force*

*Juvenile Justice
Coordinating Council*

*Law Enforcement
Education Partnership*

Children's Lobby

Child Death Review Team

*Montclair Community
Collaborative*

*Workforce Investment
Board Youth Council*

*Perinatal Coalition on
Drug & Alcohol Abuse*

Children's Network Collaborations:



Focus West

East Valley Community
Collaboration

High Desert Partnership
for Kids

Big Bear Children's
Network

APPENDIX 1

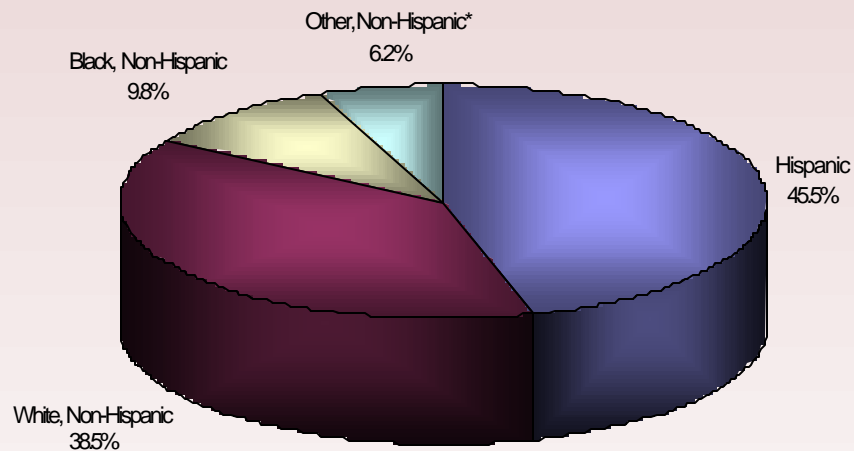
San Bernardino County Demographic Data



CHILDREN & YOUTH DEMOGRAPHICS

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**Percent of San Bernardino County Population Under 18 Years by
Race/Ethnicity
Year 2003 Population Projections**



* *Other* includes the following Non-Hispanic races: American Indian, & Asian & Pacific Islander.

Note: These population statistics do not equal the true population distribution in San Bernardino County because these are projections.

Prepared by: Program Analysis and Statistics, County of San Bernardino Department of Public Health.

Source: California Department of Finance, Race/Ethnic Population Projections with Age and Sex Detail, 1970- 2040, August 2003.

San Bernardino County Population Demographics by Age and Race/Ethnicity Year 2003 Population Projections

Race/Ethnicity	All Ages	18 Years and Over	Under 18 Years	% Under 18 Years
Total Population	1,862,094	1,263,561	598,533	32.1
Hispanic (of any race)	653,869	381,467	272,402	41.7
White, Non-Hispanic	923,574	693,151	230,423	24.9
Black, Non-Hispanic	166,288	107,597	58,691	35.3
American Indian, Non-Hispanic	11,902	8,886	3,016	25.3
Asian and Pacific Islander, Non-Hispanic	106,461	72,460	34,001	31.9

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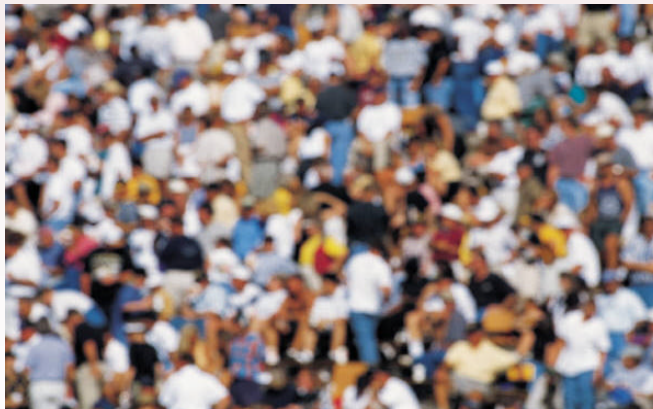


**Number of Persons Under 18 Years by Age Category, Sex, and City
San Bernardino County Residents, 2000**

City	Total	Male					Female				
		< 5 yrs.	5-9 yrs.	10-14 yrs.	15-17 yrs.	Total	< 5 yrs.	5-9 yrs.	10-14 yrs.	15-17 yrs.	Total
San Bernardino County Total	552,047	73,273	84,064	80,787	44,408	282,532	69,803	79,796	77,415	42,501	269,515
Adelanto	6,886	982	1,100	958	457	3,497	956	1,063	919	451	3,389
Apple Valley	17,115	1,995	2,428	2,762	1,517	8,702	1,880	2,406	2,646	1,481	8,413
Barstow	6,504	955	965	914	502	3,336	800	962	869	537	3,168
Big Bear City	1,529	170	213	228	170	781	171	204	227	146	748
Big Bear Lake	1,227	154	187	210	124	675	136	154	175	87	552
Bloomington	7,033	924	1,153	979	543	3,599	880	1,050	983	521	3,434
Blythe	4,126	612	561	578	350	2,101	574	577	545	329	2,025
Chino	19,128	2,533	2,831	2,846	1,578	9,788	2,276	2,795	2,717	1,552	9,340
Chino Hills	21,946	3,011	3,357	3,193	1,785	11,346	2,825	3,199	2,940	1,636	10,600
Colton	16,655	2,471	2,582	2,290	1,139	8,482	2,302	2,447	2,228	1,196	8,173
Crestline	2,838	332	405	474	279	1,490	274	375	445	254	1,348
Fontana	48,794	6,774	7,725	6,855	3,541	24,895	6,539	7,320	6,706	3,334	23,899
Grand Terrace	3,060	379	411	491	223	1,504	386	451	459	260	1,556
Hesperia	20,496	2,504	3,004	3,168	1,786	10,462	2,433	2,847	3,015	1,739	10,034
Highland	15,875	2,199	2,439	2,227	1,154	8,019	2,026	2,456	2,219	1,155	7,856
Joshua Tree	1,156	125	183	203	91	602	139	168	165	82	554
Lake Arrowhead	2,583	265	329	429	285	1,308	260	343	395	277	1,275
Loma Linda	4,100	573	609	566	334	2,082	579	588	548	303	2,018
Mentone	2,392	279	308	384	251	1,222	285	315	348	222	1,170
Montclair	10,948	1,482	1,672	1,588	916	5,658	1,448	1,569	1,449	824	5,290
Morongo Valley	486	37	71	78	53	239	60	71	73	43	247
Needles	1,332	185	185	211	116	697	151	172	186	126	635
Ontario	54,304	7,798	8,633	7,253	4,041	27,725	7,540	7,997	7,146	3,896	26,579
Rancho Cucamonga	38,145	4,547	5,687	5,926	3,378	19,538	4,353	5,297	5,694	3,263	18,607
Redlands	16,651	1,974	2,366	2,548	1,516	8,404	1,990	2,318	2,466	1,473	8,247
Rialto	34,626	4,424	5,328	5,148	2,780	17,680	4,264	5,084	4,905	2,693	16,946
Ridgecrest	7,251	935	1,116	1,038	607	3,696	910	1,009	1,059	577	3,555
San Bernardino	65,180	9,231	10,333	8,981	4,918	33,463	8,946	9,563	8,627	4,581	31,717
Twentynine Palms City	4,601	752	685	650	315	2,402	690	578	607	324	2,199
Twentynine Palms Base	1,297	319	164	127	40	650	282	172	129	64	647

**Number of Persons Under 18 Years by Age Category, Sex, and City (continued)
San Bernardino County Residents, 2002**

		< 5 yrs.	5-9 yrs.	10-14 yrs.	15-17 yrs.	Total	< 5 yrs.	5-9 yrs.	10-14 yrs.	15-17 yrs.	Total
Upland	18,699	2,460	2,723	2,711	1,622	9,516	2,355	2,642	2,654	1,532	9,183
Victorville	21,917	2,801	3,414	3,252	1,685	11,152	2,736	3,282	3,133	1,614	10,765
Wrightwood	1,099	135	164	190	119	608	118	146	145	82	491
Yucaipa	11,762	1,403	1,687	1,867	1,137	6,094	1,290	1,645	1,735	998	5,668
Yucca Valley	4,235	509	586	709	412	2,216	480	553	606	380	2,019



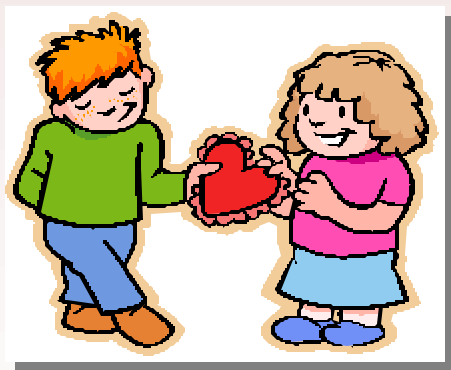
***Number of Persons Under 18 by Ethnicity & Sex
San Bernardino County Residents, 2000***

Ethnicity	Total	Male	Female
Hispanic	269,462	137,441	132,021
White (not Hispanic)	183,512	94,352	89,160
Black (not Hispanic)	54,800	27,933	26,867
Asian	20,134	10,519	9,615
Hawaiian, Pacific Islander	1,624	835	789
American Indian	2,750	1,384	1,366
Two or more races	18,581	9,461	9,120



Appendix I

Child Abuse & Neglect Data



Department of Children's Services
Year to Date
Referral Information:

	2000	2001	2002	2003 YTD
<u>Referrals Received</u>	<u>24,331</u>	<u>25,887</u>	<u>26,519</u>	<u>14,656</u>
<u>Unique Children Involved</u>	<u>35,658</u>	<u>36,736</u>	<u>36,791</u>	<u>22,102</u>
<u>Total Children Involved</u> (this is a duplicate count of children which includes children who had multiple referrals during the reporting period).	<u>50,022</u>	<u>51,829</u>	<u>51,713</u>	<u>28,584</u>
<u>Average Referrals Received Per Month</u>	<u>2028</u>	<u>2157</u>	<u>2210</u>	<u>2443</u>
<u>Abuse Type Reported</u>				
<u>Sexual Abuse</u>	<u>9%</u>	<u>9%</u>	<u>10%</u>	<u>9%</u>
<u>Physical Abuse</u>	<u>18%</u>	<u>18%</u>	<u>20%</u>	<u>17%</u>
<u>Severe Neglect</u>	<u>4%</u>	<u>4%</u>	<u>4%</u>	<u>3%</u>
<u>General Neglect</u>	<u>39%</u>	<u>43%</u>	<u>43%</u>	<u>42%</u>
<u>Emotional Abuse</u>	<u>8%</u>	<u>8%</u>	<u>3%</u>	<u>2%</u>
<u>Caretaker Absence/ Incapacity</u>	<u>9%</u>	<u>8%</u>	<u>6%</u>	<u>5%</u>
<u>Exploitation</u>	<u><1%</u>	<u>>1%</u>	<u><1%</u>	<u><1%</u>
<u>At Risk/Substantial Risk</u>	<u>12%</u>	<u>11%</u>	<u>11%</u>	<u>14%</u>

One word frees us all of the
weight and pain of life; that
word is love.

SOPHOCLES
(c. 496-405 B.C.)
Playwright

The figures on the previous page represent a 6.4% increase in referrals received between 2000 & 2001. 2002 referrals show a 2.44% increase over 2001. 2003 referrals show a 10.5% increase over 2002 which represents a significantly higher rate of increase over the previous 3 years.

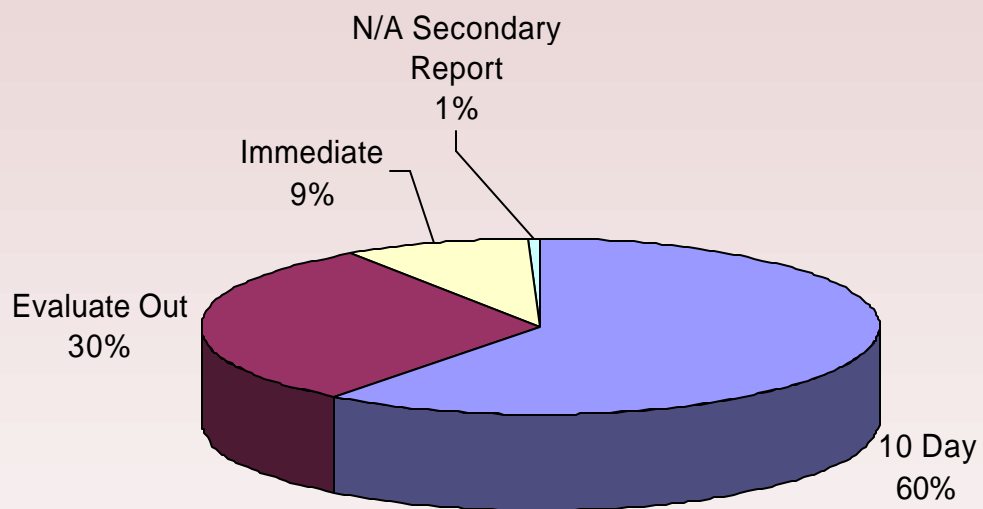
Demographics— Children involved in referrals are almost evenly split by gender. This ratio has remained constant over the years. The percentage of children age 8 and younger has increased slightly from last year to 53%. In 2001 52% of children reported have been age 8 or younger. In 1999 42% were age 8 or younger.

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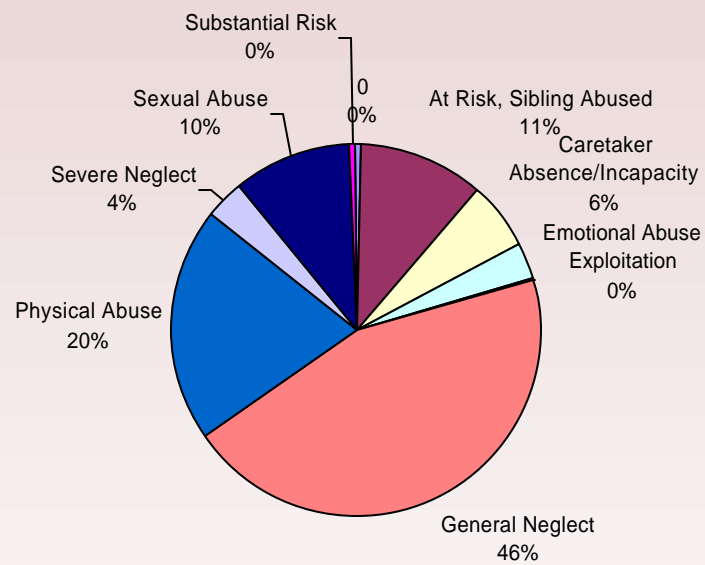
It Takes A Village
To Protect Our
Children



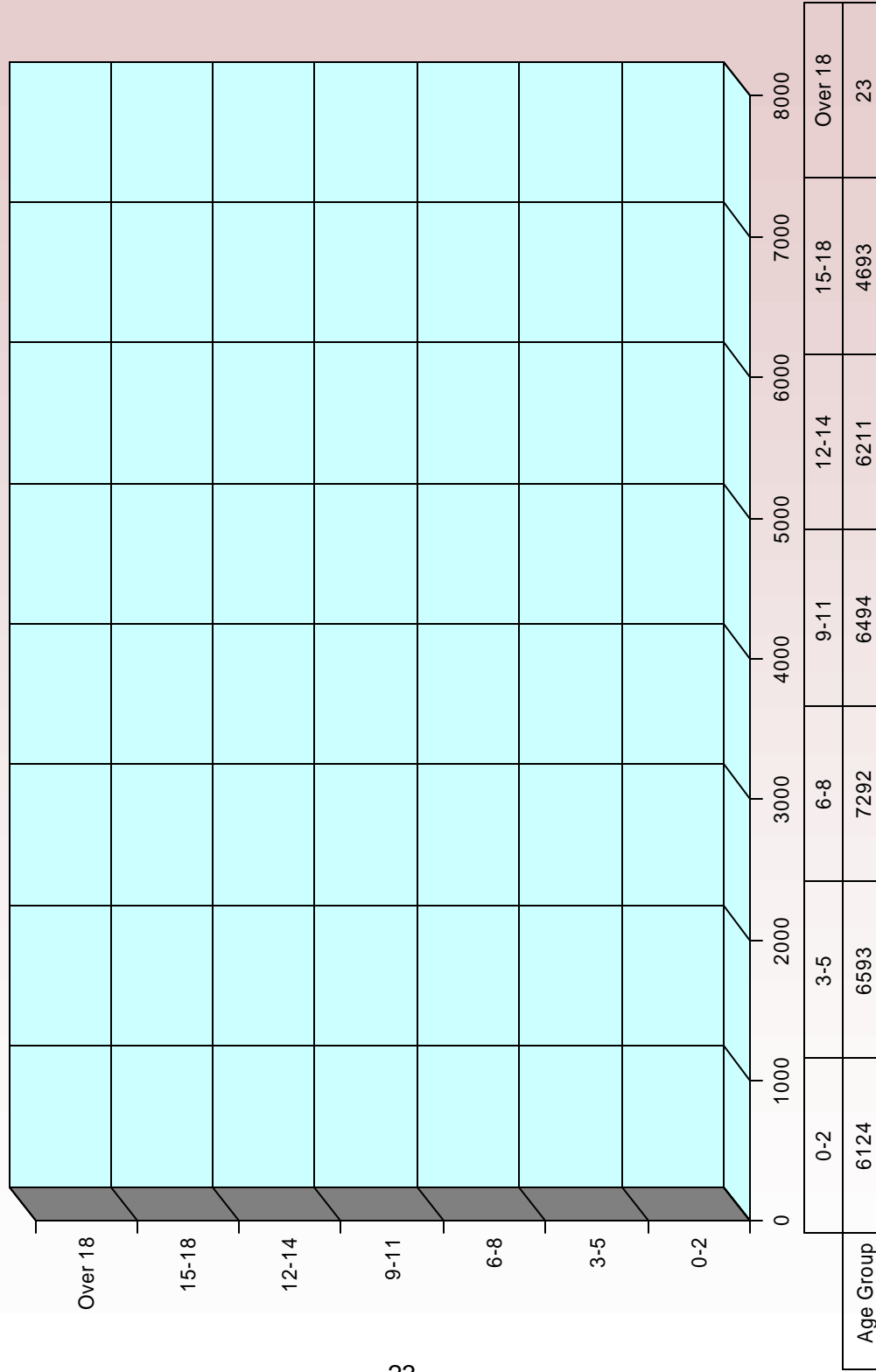
2002 Referrals by Response Type



2002 Referrals by Most Serious Allegation



Age Group



2002 Referrals by Age Group

Referral Children by Ethnicity

Ethnicity	Child Count	Percentage
Asian/Pacific Islander	335	0.91%
Black	5960	16.23%
Hispanic	12413	33.79%
Native American	188	0.51%
Not Available	5372	14.62%
White	12465	33.93%
Sum:	36733	
Percent:		100.00%

Referral Children by Gender

Client Gender Code	Child Count	Percentage
Female	18744	51.03%
Male	17698	48.18%
Unknown	291	0.79%
Sum:	36733	
Percent:		100.00%

Referral Count by Response Type

Response Type	Referral Count	Percentage
10 Day	15995	60.27%
Evaluate Out	8011	30.19%
Immediate	2356	8.88%
N/A Secondary Report	173	0.63%
Sum:	26535	
Percent:		100.00%

2002 Referral Summary Tables

Referral Children by Age Group

Age Group	Child Count	Percentage
0-2	6124	16.36%
3-5	6593	17.61%
6-8	7292	19.48%
9-11	6494	17.35%
12-14	6211	16.59%
15-18	4693	12.54%
Over 18	23	0.06%
Sum:	37430	
Percent:		98.14%

Referral Children by Most Serious Allegation

Most Serious Allegation	Client Count	Percentage
No Allegation Entered	184	.43%
At Risk, Sibling Abused	4763	11.08%
Caretaker Absence/Incapacity	2579	6.00%
Emotional Abuse	1326	3.09%
Exploitation	73	0.17%
General Neglect	19133	44.52%
Physical Abuse	8720	20.29%
Severe Neglect	1596	3.71%
Sexual Abuse	4407	10.25%
Substantial Risk	200	0.47%
Sum:	42981	
Percent:		100%

Referral Count by Office

Office	Referral Count	Percentage
Barstow	958	3.61%
CAHL*	6236	23.50%
Other	11	0.04%
Rancho Cucamonga	7398	27.88%
San Bernardino	7044	26.55%
Special Services	2	0.01%
Victorville	3724	14.03%
Yucca Valley	1162	4.38%
Sum:	26535	
Percent:		100.00%

*Child Abuse Hot Line

Source: Cathy Sellers, Dept. of Children's Services

Appendix II

PROBATION Programs & Data



Youth Working at Camp Heart Bar

Central Valley Juvenile Detention & Assessment Center

The year 2002 was pivotal for juvenile detention in San Bernardino County and Central Valley Juvenile Hall, in particular. The facility continued to operate under temporary suspension of certain State regulations governing its operations due to the crowded conditions. A Suitability Plan of corrective actions was established with the State Board of Corrections and monthly progress reports were made to keep Sacramento apprised of compliance with the plan and progress to ameliorate conditions to ultimately comply with standard regulations.

Detention in “soft-sided structures” proved challenging, but staff proved more than capable and the State Board Of Corrections repeatedly expressed their respect for the sincere effort to provide safe, secure and humane housing to a difficult juvenile population.



Artist rendering of the new West Valley Juvenile Detention & Assessment Center & the temporary Soft Sided Structures.

2002 Juvenile Probation Services

- * 680 minors appeared before the Youth Accountability Boards countywide to resolve first time offenses.
- * Community Service Team Probation Officers stationed in law enforcement agencies throughout the County evaluated 9,691 cases and made referrals for disposition on the offenses.
- * 2,772 Social Study/Dispositional Reports were completed for the Juvenile Court on new offenses involving minors.
- * An average of approximately 70 minors per day were on House Arrest Program in lieu of incarceration in Juvenile Hall.
- * 939 minors participated in the Day Reporting Center Programs throughout the County.
- * 3,265 minors were under the formal supervision of the Probation Department.
- * An average of 278 minors per month were in out-of-home placements in Foster Care.
- * 75 minors and their families participated in the Multi-Disciplinary Team Treatment program.

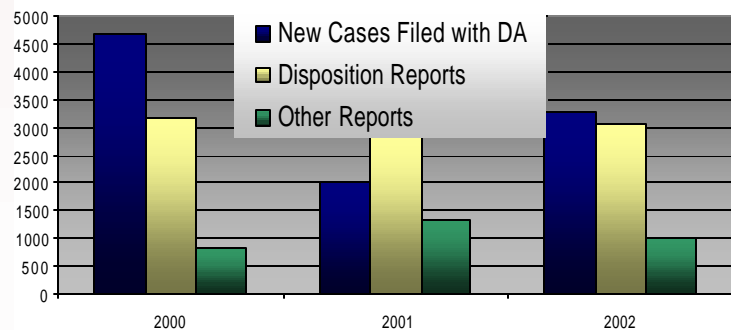
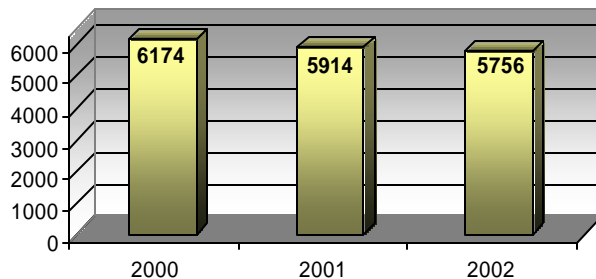


Youth attending class and receiving services.

CENTRAL VALLEY JUVENILE DETENTION & ASSESSMENT CENTER MONTHLY AVERAGE DETAINED POPULATION

TOTAL POPULATION	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
January	312	356	415	525	404
February	648	674	480	522	434
March	360	394	520	580	438
April	361	400	554	546	430
May	402	413	565	521	406
June	420	413	568	506	401
July	395	402	515	478	392
August	385	391	543	446	383
September	363	388	561	449	385
October	360	444	596	473	405
November	358	474	572	444	354
December	369	422	549	429	327
ANNUAL AVERAGE TOTAL	364	431	537	494	397

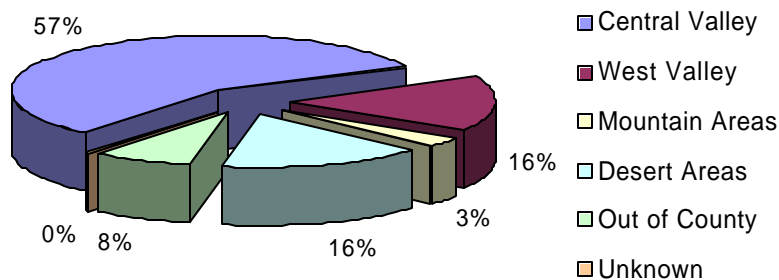
Juvenile Hall Admissions



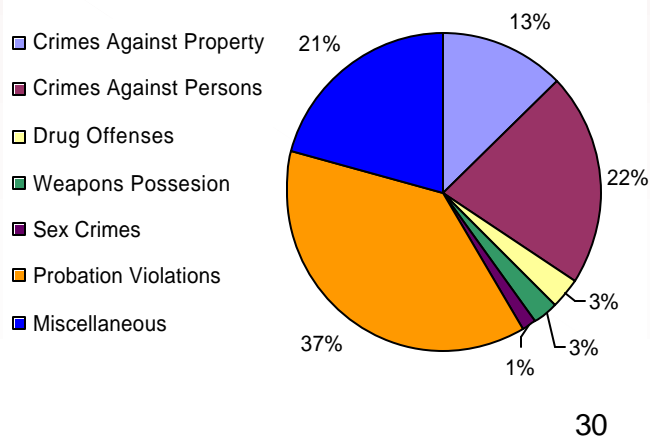
ADMISSIONS TO JUVENILE HALL BY AGE GROUP

AGES	BOYS	GIRLS	TOTALS
8	0	0	0
9	1	0	1
10	16	1	17
11	32	12	44
12	96	30	126
13	263	74	337
14	575	177	752
15	914	225	1,139
16	1,290	259	1,549
17	1,287	221	1,508
18	251	26	277
19+	4	2	6
TOTALS	4,729	1,027	5,756

Juvenile Hall Admissions by Geographic Area



2002 Juvenile Hall Bookings



2002 ADMISSIONS CENTRAL VALLEY JUVENILE DETENTION & ASSESSMENT CENTER

OFFENSE	BOYS	GIRLS	TOTAL
Battery/Assault, Attempted Murder: Assault, Intent to Murder, Attempted Murder, Assault w/Deadly Weapon, Assault w/Firearm/Device, Assault with Force/GBI, GBI to Aged/Handicapped, Battery with Injuries, Battery without Injuries, Other Assault	510	168	678
Burglary Type Crimes: Residential Burglary, Commercial Burglary, Automobile Burglary, Other Burglary	264	52	416
Conspiracy Type Crimes: Conspiracy, Dissuade Victim/Witness	5	4	9
Drug Related Crimes: Mfg/Sell Controlled Subs, Possess Controlled Subs, Mfg/Sell Marijuana, Possess Marijuana, Under the Influence, Other drug related crimes	157	20	177
Arson Type Crimes: Arson/Inhabited Buildings, Other Arson Crimes	17	3	20
Gang Related Crimes: Participate in Criminal Gangs	4	0	4
Homicide: Murder/Manslaughter, Vehicular Manslaughter, Other Murder/manslaughter	19	1	20
Kidnapping Type Crimes: Kidnapping for Ransom, Kidnapping for Robbery, Other Kidnapping	7	2	9
Law Enforcement Related Crimes: Resisting Arrest, Battery on Peace Officer, Other Law Enforcement Crimes	36	14	50
Mischief and Vandalism Crimes: Malicious Mischief, Trespassing, Disturbing the Peace, Other Mischief/Vandalism	75	2	77
Weapon Related Crimes: Mfg/Sale/Possession of Weapon, Dschg Firearm, Inhab Bldg/Dschg Firearm at Vehicle, Other Weapon Related Crimes	141	13	154
Probation Wards: Change of Placement, Placement Runaway, Violation of Court Order, External Program Return, External Program Runaway	1,266	288	1,554
601 W&I Violations: Runaways from Home	16	32	48
Robbery, Theft Related Crimes: Armed Robbery, Grand Theft, Receive Stolen Property, Forgery & Checks, Petty Theft, Other Robbery/Theft	410	70	480
Special Circumstances: Court Detained, Special Circumstances Rw2efuse Home, Placement Return, Weekender, Courtesy Hold, Time Out-ATP, Time Out-External program, Time Out-Success	917	137	1,054
Transfers: To/From CYA, Transfer to Other Counties	127		156
Vehicle Related Crimes: DWI w/Injuries, Hit & Run w/Injuries, Hit & Run w/o Injuries, Auto Theft, Other Vehicular Crimes	195	41	236
Warrants: County of San Bernardino, Other Counties, Other States	443	139	582
Sexual Crimes: Rape-Force/Violence/Fear, Sodomy-Force/Violence/Fear, Lewd or Lascivious Act, Oral Cop-Force/Violence/Fear, Genital/Anal Penetration, Other Sexual Crime	83	3	86
TOTALS	4,792	1,018	5,810

Appendix III

Education



**Table 2: District Public School Enrollment
San Bernardino County, 1990-91 to 2002-2003**

School Districts	1990-91	1991-92	1992-93	1993-94	1994-95	1995-96	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03
Adelanto Elementary	2,477	2,799	2,140	2,535	2,961	3,303	3,677	4,388	4,501	4,507	4,923	5,252	5,548
Alta Loma Elementary	7,617	7,808	7,785	7,784	7,757	7,874	7,896	7,856	7,710	7,627	7,652	7,705	7,609
Apple Valley Unified *	11,265	11,797	12,183	12,311	11,975	12,236	12,307	15,329	14,965	13,142	13,292	13,683	13,850
Baker Valley Unified	202	201	216	212	212	212	186	208	174	196	191	189	213
Barstow Unified	7,225	7,416	7,428	7,258	7,079	7,050	6,942	6,900	6,825	6,865	6,720	6,775	6,816
Bear Valley Unified	3,048	3,206	3,220	3,329	3,350	3,469	3,551	3,561	3,492	3,470	3,450	3,436	3,390
Central Elementary	4,480	4,536	4,693	4,647	4,781	4,964	5,044	5,102	5,068	5,086	5,118	5,240	5,231
Chaffey Joint Union High *	13,505	14,195	14,777	15,240	15,560	16,162	17,296	17,959	18,615	19,339	19,851	20,738	21,981
Chino Valley Unified	23,257	24,888	25,832	26,807	27,450	28,514	29,342	30,100	31,084	31,545	31,763	32,481	32,916
Colton Joint Unified High	16,415	16,976	17,208	17,922	18,430	18,818	19,712	20,298	20,851	21,708	22,118	23,044	24,018
Cucamonga Elementary	2,114	2,173	2,252	2,397	2,368	2,368	2,540	2,565	2,660	2,770	2,804	2,805	2,892
Etiwanda Elementary	3,175	3,576	3,969	4,174	4,658	4,943	5,278	5,746	6,437	7,400	8,420	9,359	10,287
Fontana Unified	27,043	28,798	29,392	29,764	30,174	30,979	32,175	33,332	34,339	35,644	37,244	38,930	40,188
Helendale Elementary	506	515	503	483	547	563	540	578	580	566	556	575	603
Hesperia Unified *	13,113	13,950	14,358	14,509	14,500	14,837	15,327	15,277	15,204	15,204	15,380	15,683	16,195
Lucerne Valley Unified *	825	959	1,141	1,228	1,273	1,194	1,135	1,143	1,114	1,034	1,059	1,044	1,005
Morongo Unified	9,792	10,171	10,082	10,258	10,078	9,961	9,846	9,775	9,723	9,624	9,390	9,296	9,467
Mountain View Elementary	2,483	2,543	2,644	2,736	2,779	2,839	2,955	3,051	3,182	3,182	3,245	3,428	3,439
Mt. Baldy Joint	84	82	84	93	80	87	82	83	83	86	89	86	80
Needles Unified	1,565	1,650	1,622	1,603	1,564	1,519	1,466	1,377	1,402	1,319	1,272	1,212	1,190
Ontario-Montclair	21,033	21,749	22,375	22,649	23,132	23,682	24,196	24,652	25,151	25,802	26,407	26,983	27,270
Oro Grande Elementary	136	149	163	148	150	145	139	125	123	113	106	1,662	2,846
Redlands Unified	16,002	16,815	17,159	17,176	17,540	17,628	17,950	18,587	18,781	19,006	19,411	19,892	20,285
Rialto Unified	19,794	20,755	21,699	22,427	23,088	23,830	24,757	25,454	26,096	27,088	28,060	29,283	30,172
Rim of the World Unified	5,477	5,606	5,793	5,921	5,900	5,931	6,078	6,227	6,126	6,045	5,969	5,783	5,780
San Bernardino City Unified	40,589	43,016	43,580	43,933	44,250	45,091	46,309	47,385	48,907	50,340	52,031	54,166	56,096
San Bernardino County Supt.	2,624	2,619	2,592	2,614	3,209	3,355	3,709	2,802	2,967	3,042	3,187	3,697	3,223
San Bernardino Co. CYA									110	100	431	571	508
Silver Valley Unified	2,604	2,714	2,886	2,868	2,864	2,734	2,803	2,799	2,767	2,623	2,496	2,552	2,670
Snowflake Joint Unified *	4,542	4,857	5,213	5,465	5,711	6,300	6,540	6,415	7,053	10,219	7,969	7,769	8,785
Trona Joint Unified	674	670	653	627	583	603	576	494	432	408	426	369	350
Upland Unified *	10,900	11,089	11,361	11,437	11,531	11,528	12,028	11,984	12,630	12,697	12,721	12,794	13,237
Victor Elementary	6,085	6,541	6,980	7,313	7,602	7,997	8,334	8,332	8,294	8,540	8,939	9,113	9,442
Victor Valley Union High *	4,662	5,188	5,470	6,219	6,730	7,308	8,119	7,797	8,780	8,729	9,091	9,369	10,424
Yucaipa-Calimesa Joint U	6,650	7,139	7,301	7,429	7,682	7,954	8,226	8,523	8,716	8,818	9,069	9,132	9,242
County	291,963	307,146	314,754	321,316	327,528	335,978	347,061	356,204	364,942	373,896	380,830	394,096	407,228
Annual Growth	6.5%	5.2%	2.5%	2.1%	1.9%	2.6%	3.3%	2.6%	2.5%	2.5%	1.9%	3.5%	3.3%

* District boundary changes during 1980-90 period.

Source: California Department of Education, California Basic Educational Data Systems (CBEDS), various years.

**Table 3: District Public School Enrollment Annual Growth Rates
San Bernardino County, 1992-93 to 2002-03**

School Districts	1992-93	1993-94	1994-95	1995-96	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03
Adelanto Elementary	-23.5%	18.5%	16.8%	11.6%	11.3%	19.3%	2.6%	0.1%	9.2%	6.7%	5.6%
Alta Loma Elementary	-0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%	1.5%	0.3%	-0.5%	-1.9%	-1.1%	0.3%	0.7%	-1.2%
Apple Valley Unified *	3.3%	1.1%	-2.7%	2.2%	0.6%	24.6%	-2.4%	-12.2%	1.1%	2.9%	1.2%
Baker Valley Unified	7.5%	-1.9%	0.0%	0.0%	-12.3%	11.8%	-16.3%	12.6%	-2.6%	-1.0%	12.7%
Barstow Unified	0.2%	-2.3%	-0.4%	-0.4%	-1.5%	-0.6%	-1.1%	0.6%	-2.1%	0.8%	0.6%
Bear Valley Unified	0.4%	3.4%	0.6%	3.6%	2.4%	0.3%	-1.9%	-0.6%	-0.6%	-0.4%	-1.3%
Central Elementary	3.5%	-1.0%	2.9%	3.8%	1.6%	1.1%	-0.7%	0.6%	0.4%	2.4%	-0.2%
Chaffey Joint Union High *	4.1%	3.1%	2.1%	3.9%	7.0%	3.8%	3.7%	3.9%	2.6%	4.5%	6.0%
Chino Valley Unified	3.8%	3.0%	3.2%	3.9%	2.9%	2.6%	3.3%	1.5%	0.7%	2.3%	1.3%
Colton Joint Unified High	1.4%	4.1%	2.8%	2.1%	4.8%	3.0%	2.7%	4.1%	1.9%	4.2%	4.2%
Cucamonga Elementary	3.6%	6.4%	-1.2%	0.0%	7.3%	1.0%	3.7%	4.1%	1.2%	0.0%	3.1%
Etiwanda Elementary	11.0%	5.2%	11.6%	6.1%	6.8%	8.9%	12.0%	15.0%	13.8%	11.2%	9.9%
Fontana Unified	2.1%	1.3%	1.4%	2.7%	3.9%	3.6%	3.0%	3.8%	4.5%	4.5%	3.2%
Helendale Elementary	-2.3%	-4.0%	13.3%	2.9%	-4.1%	7.0%	0.3%	-2.4%	-1.8%	3.4%	4.9%
Hesperia Unified *	2.9%	1.1%	-0.1%	2.3%	3.3%	-0.3%	-0.5%	0.0%	1.0%	2.1%	3.3%
Lucerne Valley Unified *	19.0%	7.6%	3.7%	-6.2%	-4.9%	0.7%	-2.5%	-7.2%	2.4%	-1.4%	-3.7%
Morongo Unified	-0.9%	1.7%	-1.8%	-1.2%	-1.2%	-0.7%	-0.5%	-1.0%	-2.4%	-1.0%	1.8%
Mountain View Elementary	4.0%	3.5%	1.6%	2.2%	4.1%	3.2%	4.3%	0.0%	2.0%	5.6%	0.3%
Mt. Baldy Joint	2.4%	10.7%	-14.0%	8.8%	-5.7%	1.2%	0.0%	6.0%	1.1%	-3.4%	-7.0%
Needles Unified	-1.7%	-1.2%	-2.4%	-2.9%	-3.5%	-6.1%	1.8%	-5.9%	-3.6%	-4.7%	-1.8%
Ontario-Montclair	2.9%	1.2%	2.1%	2.4%	2.2%	1.9%	2.0%	2.6%	2.3%	2.2%	1.1%
Oro Grande Elementary	9.4%	-9.2%	1.4%	-3.3%	-4.1%	-10.1%	-1.6%	-8.1%	-6.2%	1467.9%	71.2%
Redlands Unified	2.0%	0.1%	2.1%	0.5%	1.8%	3.5%	1.0%	1.2%	2.1%	2.5%	2.0%
Rialto Unified	4.5%	3.4%	2.9%	3.3%	3.9%	2.8%	2.5%	3.8%	3.6%	4.4%	3.0%
Rim of the World Unified	3.3%	2.2%	-0.4%	0.5%	2.5%	2.5%	-1.6%	-1.3%	-1.3%	-3.1%	-0.1%
San Bernardino City Unified	1.3%	0.8%	0.7%	1.9%	2.7%	2.3%	3.2%	2.9%	3.4%	4.1%	3.6%
San Bernardino County Supt.	-1.0%	0.8%	22.8%	4.5%	10.6%	-24.5%	5.9%	2.5%	4.8%	16.0%	-12.8%
San Bernardino Co. CYA									331.0%	32.5%	-11.0%
Silver Valley Unified	6.3%	-0.6%	-0.1%	-4.5%	2.5%	-0.1%	-1.1%	-5.2%	-4.8%	2.2%	4.6%
Snowline Joint Unified *	7.3%	4.8%	4.5%	10.3%	3.8%	-1.9%	9.9%	44.9%	-22.0%	-2.5%	13.1%
Trona Joint Unified	-2.5%	-4.0%	-7.0%	3.4%	-4.5%	-14.2%	-12.6%	-5.6%	4.4%	-13.4%	-5.1%
Upland Unified *	2.5%	0.7%	0.8%	0.0%	4.3%	-0.4%	5.4%	0.5%	0.2%	0.6%	3.5%
Victor Elementary	6.7%	4.8%	4.0%	5.2%	4.2%	0.0%	-0.5%	3.0%	4.7%	1.9%	3.6%
Victor Valley Union High *	5.4%	13.7%	8.2%	8.6%	11.1%	-4.0%	12.6%	-0.6%	4.1%	3.1%	11.3%
Yucaipa-Calimesa Joint U	2.3%	1.8%	3.4%	3.5%	3.4%	3.6%	2.3%	1.2%	2.8%	0.7%	1.2%
County	2.5%	2.1%	1.9%	2.6%	3.3%	2.6%	2.5%	2.5%	1.9%	3.5%	3.3%

*District boundary changes during 1980-90 period.
Source: California Department of Education, California Basic Education Data System (CBEDS), various years

Special Education Enrollment by Age & Disability
San Bernardino County
2002-03 School Year

Age	MR	HH	DEAF	SLI	VI	ED	OI	OHI	SLD	DB	MD	AUT	TBI	Total
0	15	0	2	4	2	0	7	26	0	0	8	0	0	64
1	34	1	7	7	2	0	1	46	0	0	26	0	0	124
2	22	2	9	47	4	0	10	34	0	0	26	3	0	157
3	84	5	7	334	8	0	18	25	10	0	50	38	3	582
4	94	8	10	637	8	0	40	17	38	0	39	52	4	947
5	132	10	17	892	8	1	30	31	67	0	37	48	1	1,274
6	136	13	12	1,350	13	9	35	47	177	0	40	74	3	1,909
7	167	9	15	1,456	17	18	60	48	469	2	38	62	4	2,365
8	181	20	10	1,460	18	42	38	79	1,011	1	43	77	5	2,985
9	188	19	19	1,189	20	51	59	95	1,544	1	42	59	10	3,296
10	208	28	12	818	19	78	48	116	2,020	2	51	70	7	3,477
11	188	24	10	523	22	101	46	105	2,596	0	43	42	11	3,711
12	192	21	8	316	17	136	46	135	3,140	3	53	44	6	4,117
13	189	25	10	211	24	134	50	144	3,209	1	49	36	6	4,088
14	196	27	7	110	18	144	47	98	3,085	0	41	25	11	3,809
15	152	12	9	80	25	140	42	102	2,858	1	41	32	5	3,499
16	156	19	7	64	12	130	31	57	2,456	0	46	24	8	3,010
17	139	11	8	40	10	139	38	61	2,130	0	29	16	11	2,632
18	101	2	2	6	9	50	18	20	755	0	24	10	6	1,003
19	75	1	2	0	2	5	13	7	91	0	16	4	1	217
20	61	0	0	0	2	4	11	6	17	2	15	6	1	125
21	51	0	0	0	3	2	11	4	8	0	15	4	0	98
22	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	8
														43,497

Coding:

MR = Mental Retardation,
HH = Hard of Hearing,
SLI = Speech or Language Impaired,
VI = Visual Impairment,
ED = Emotional Disturbance,
OI = Orthopedic Impairment,
OHI = Other Health Impairment,
SLD = Specific Learning Disability,
DB = Deaf - Blindness,
MD = Multiple Disability,
AUT = Autism,
TBI = Traumatic Brain Injury

Source: California Department of Education, California Basic Education Data System (CBEDS),

Special Education Enrollment by Age & Major Ethnic Group 2002-2003 School Year

	Native		Pacific			African		
Age	American	Asian	Islander	Filipino	Hispanic	American	White	Total
0	1	3	0	0	33	9	18	64
1	2	2	1	0	60	18	41	124
2	1	1	0	0	68	21	66	157
3	5	12	3	4	251	57	250	582
4	5	22	5	7	400	91	417	947
5	5	18	9	10	600	133	499	1,274
6	17	32	7	9	904	230	710	1,909
7	16	41	9	21	1,067	289	922	2,365
8	22	49	12	19	1,377	398	1,108	2,985
9	32	47	6	11	1,567	464	1,169	3,296
10	29	42	13	21	1,590	525	1,257	3,477
11	33	38	18	17	1,740	596	1,269	3,711
12	31	38	14	18	1,911	696	1,409	4,117
13	38	40	12	11	1,757	744	1,486	4,088
14	24	34	16	14	1,661	676	1,384	3,809
15	34	31	6	10	1,523	623	1,272	3,499
16	22	30	5	8	1,259	556	1,130	3,010
17	17	27	7	7	1,081	501	992	2,632
18	9	12	4	6	370	193	409	1,003
19	3	10	2	1	90	32	79	217
20	1	4	0	2	45	19	54	125
21	1	2	1	0	40	17	37	98
22	0	0	0	0	2	1	5	8
Total	348	535	150	196	19,396	6,889	15,983	43,497

Source: California Department of Education, California Basic Education Data System (CBEDS), various years.

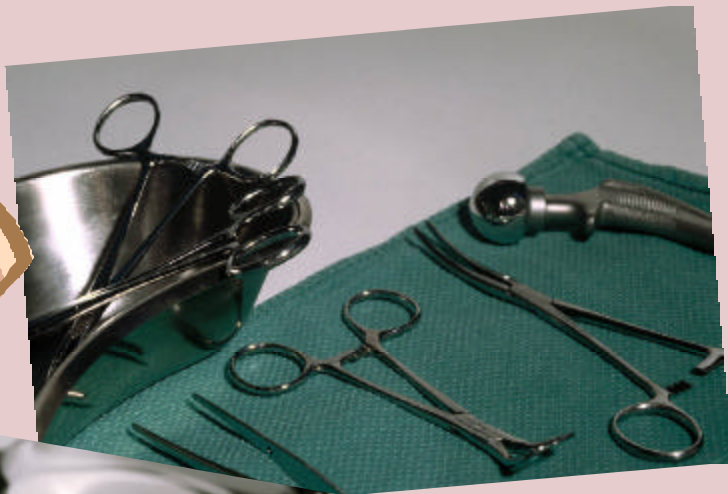
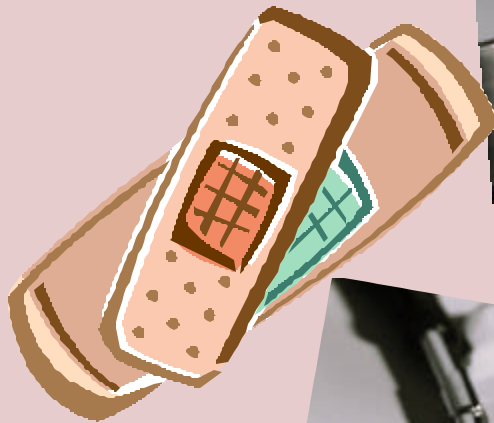
**San Bernardino County Superintendent of Schools
School Attendance Review Board
2002-2003
Annual SARB Report
Number of Cases Referred To Local District SARB**

GRADE LEVEL	MALE	FEMALE	BEHAVIO R	IRREGULAR ATTENANCE	HABITUAL TRUANT	COURT REFERRALS	TOTALS
K	50	67	3	104	9	1	117
1	99	108	8	128	66	5	207
2	76	96	7	139	20	6	172
3	80	69	8	121	16	4	149
4	83	67	10	108	25	7	150
5	83	80	15	119	21	8	163
6	103	88	40	102	39	10	191
7	173	152	36	156	114	19	325
8	202	169	78	160	114	19	371
9	99	157	5	79	128	44	256
10	158	161	12	123	125	59	319
11	108	87	3	95	81	16	195
12	38	28	2	43	20	1	66
TOTAL S	1352	1329	227	1477	778	199	2681

Source: San Bernardino County Superintendent of Schools

Appendix 4

Public Health

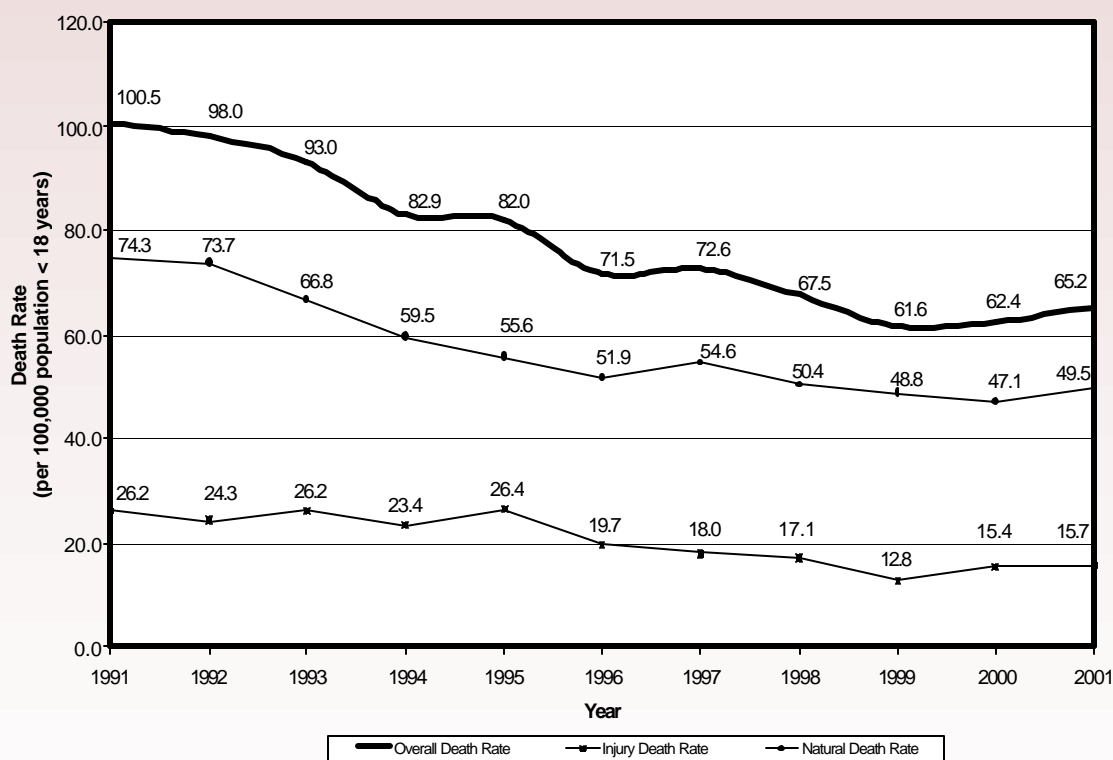


CHILD DEATHS

From 1991 to 2001, there has been a general decrease in the childhood death rates among San Bernardino County residents less than 18 years of age. However, in 2001, there was a 4.5% increase from the year 2000 in the overall childhood death rate. This trend was also evident in the approximate 5% increase and 2% increase in injury and natural causes of death, respectively.

The overall childhood death rate among San Bernardino County residents was 65.2 per 100,000 persons less than 18 years of age in 2001. In the same year, the death rate due to natural causes was 49.5, and the death rate due to injury causes was 15.7.

**Childhood Death Rates by Cause, 1991-2001
San Bernardino County Residents Less Than 18 Years of Age**



Prepared by: Program Analysis and Statistics, County of San Bernardino Department of Public Health.

Sources:

- (1) California Department of Health Services, Death Statistical Master Files, 1991-2001.
- (2) California Department of Finance, Race/Ethnic Population Projections with Age and Sex Detail, 1970-2040, August 2003

Child Death Review Team: 2002

A single death of a child serves as a powerful warning that other children are at risk. The Child Death Review Team meets to review child deaths in order to better understand how and why San Bernardino County's children die and to take action to prevent other deaths.

Following are findings and/or recommendations from Year 2002 reviews.

1. Coordination of services for children in the Mental Health system who have multiple providers, i.e. therapists, school counselors, psychiatrist.

Recommend: That there be a Children's System of Care developed to provide care coordination for children with mental health issues being served by multiple providers. If this is not available, use Multi-disciplinary team approach to ensure care coordination.

2. Reinforce infant safe sleeping practices. Infant deaths from SIDS (11) and Undetermined (11) causes found that 67% were bed sharing with other family members and an additional 23% were sleeping alone on surfaces not designed for infants, i.e. futon, couches, pillows, etc. Infants are at risk of overlay death when sleeping with another person, especially if the person is fatigued, overweight and/or is alcohol or drug impaired.

Recommend: Build upon the success of "Back to Sleep " public campaign to emphasize infant safe sleeping environments, including information on the risks of bed sharing with an infant. Provide information as part of a countywide campaign; include information at parenting classes and newborn hospital discharge teachings.

3. Education to prevent deaths of children being left unattended in and around vehicles. National attention concerning motor vehicles and child safety focused largely on protecting children as occupants transported in traffic on public roads. However, children who are left unattended in and or around vehicles that are not in traffic are also at increased risk for death and injury. Although the numbers for SB County are small, one-two deaths per year, these are preventable deaths.

Recommend: Continue to work with the Children's Network Safe Summer and Child Abuse Prevention campaigns to educate the public on the risks of children being "backed over" by vehicles in driveways, and dying from hyperthermia when left unattended in vehicles. Link with the national KIDS'N CARS program to support legislation, regulation and changes in vehicle design.

Child Death Review Team (continued.)

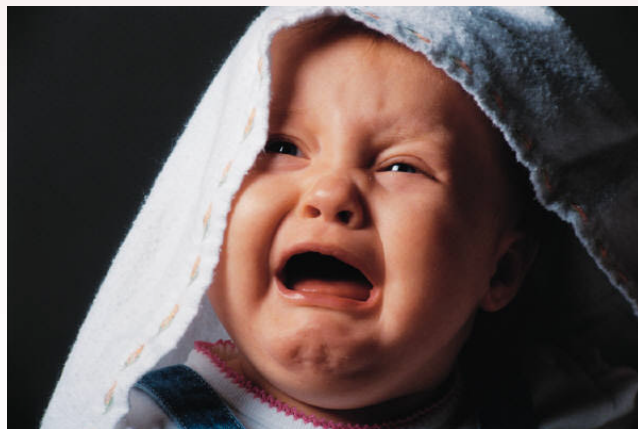
4. Parent education regarding child deaths/injuries around use of shopping carts.

Recommend: Work with Safe Kids to develop education campaign to inform parents about risks of injury and death for children, in and around shopping carts. Children sometimes hang on to sides of moving shopping carts, fall out of basket or seat areas and sustain injuries or even death.

5. Children need to be using effective safety measures while a passenger in a vehicle. In the year 2002, 50% of children less than 16 years of age who died in vehicle crashes were not properly restrained; 57% of those 16 –18 years of age who died in vehicle crashes were not using seat belts.

Recommend: Further public education to increase the consistent and proper use of child passenger safety seats, increase booster seat usage for children over 6 years and 60 lbs, provide child safety seat inspections to reduce child death due to no or improper restraint and make low cost child passenger safety seats available for those in need.

The table on page 39 presents the Child Death Review Team's (CDRT) findings for deaths in 2002. Similar to the Fetal Infant Mortality Review process, information is obtained from parents, vital records, the Coroner's Office, and medical records. The intent of the review process is to identify factors or circumstances contributing to child deaths in the hope of preventing future occurrences. It should be noted that the conclusions of the CDRT may not match the counts by cause of death compiled from vital records.



**San Bernardino County Department of Public Health
Child Death Review Team Findings Summary 2001**

	Type of Death																						Total	
	Homicide		Suicide		Motor Vehicle Accidents		Other Accidents		SIDS		Undetermined/Pending													
	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident						
Total	12	1	7	0	43	12	21	3	14	0	6	1	103	17										
Sex																								
Male	7	0	7	0	28	7	15	2	8	0	5	1	70	10										
Female	5	1	0	0	15	5	6	1	6	0	1	0	33	7										
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0										
Race/																								
White	1	1	3	0	19	2	7	1	9	0	0	1	39	5										
Hispanic	9	0	4	0	15	4	9	2	3	0	3	0	43	8										
Black	0	0	0	0	9	4	4	0	2	0	3	0	18	4										
Other/Unknown	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	3	2										
Age																								
<1	3	0	0	0	4	1	1	1	14	0	3	1	25	3										
1-4	1	1	0	0	7	2	16	1	0	0	3	0	27	4										
5-9	0	0	0	0	8	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	9	4										
10-14	1	0	1	0	10	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	14	2										
15-17	7	0	6	0	14	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	28	4										
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0										
Means/Cause of death																								
Gunshots	7	0	3	0	10	6	Drowning	14	2	14	0	Possible abuse/neglect related	3	1										
Shaken infant/Impact	2	1	3	0	1	0	Fire	4	0															
Blunt injury	1	0	1	0	8	0	Hypothermia	1	0															
Strangulation	1	0					Boating	0	1															
Abandoned Infant	1	0																						

Notes: 2001 Child Death Review Team is a resident death review team. Reports are not included national causes of death SIDS.

*Only confirmed cases of SIDS included. SIDS are pending cause of death not included in count.

San Bernardino County Child Death Review Team files.

Prepared: Regional Analysis and Statistics, Community Health Services

Department of Public Health, San Bernardino County, 602002

In 2001, there were 226 deaths among persons under the age of one year in San Bernardino County. Approximately 50% of these deaths were classified as being due to "certain conditions originating in the perinatal period". In addition, congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities accounted for over 20% of the deaths among infants in San Bernardino County. Also, approximately 2% of infant deaths in 2001 were classified as being due to "external causes" (injuries).

Causes of Death Among Persons Under One Year of Age San Bernardino County Residents, 2001

Cause of Death Description	ICD-10 Code*	Number of Deaths
Certain Conditions Originating in the Perinatal Period**	P00-P96	112
Congenital Malformations, Deformations and Chromosomal Abnormalities	Q00-Q99	51
Symptoms, Signs and Abnormal Findings, Not Classified	R00-R99	26
a) SIDS		18
b) Other Symptoms, Signs and Abnormal Findings		8
Diseases of the Nervous System	G00-G98	7
Diseases of the Circulatory System	I00-I99	6
Diseases of the Digestive System	K00-K92	5
External Causes	V01-Y89	5
a) Accidents		4
b) Assault (Homicide)		0
c) Other External Causes		1
Diseases of the Respiratory System	J00-J98	3
Diseases of the Genitourinary System	N00-N98	3
Infectious and Parasitic Diseases	A00-B99	3
Endocrine, Nutritional and Metabolic Diseases	E00-E88	2
Diseases of the Blood and Blood-Forming Organs	D50-D89	1
Diseases of the Ear and Mastoid Process	H60-H93	1
Neoplasms	C00-D48	1
ALL CAUSES	TOTAL	226

*International Classification of Diseases, 10th Revision of the World Health Organization (ICD-10), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention/National Center for Health Statistics Cause-of-Death Lists for Tabulating Mortality Statistics Instruction Manual Part 9 (Updated November 2001), List of 130 Selected Causes of Infant Death.

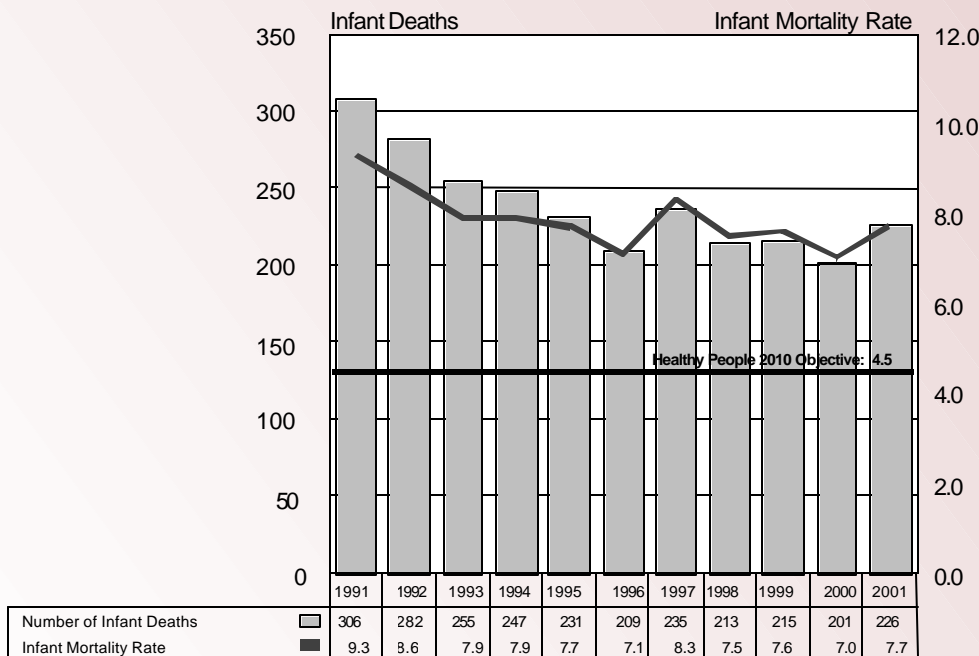
** Includes *Newborn affected by maternal factors and by complications of pregnancy, labor and delivery; Disorders related to length of gestation and fetal malnutrition; Birth trauma; Intrauterine hypoxia and birth asphyxia; Respiratory distress of newborn; Other respiratory conditions originating in the perinatal period; Infections specific to the perinatal period; Hemorrhagic and hematological disorders of newborn; Syndrome of infant of a diabetic mother and neonatal diabetes mellitus; Necrotizing enterocolitis of newborn; Hydrops fetalis not due to hemolytic disease; Other perinatal conditions.*

Prepared by: Program Analysis and Statistics, County of San Bernardino Department of Public Health
Source: California Department of Health Services, Death Statistical Master File, 2001
 August 2003

INFANT MORTALITY RATE

Since 1991, the number of infant deaths among San Bernardino County residents generally has been decreasing. However, the number of infant deaths among San Bernardino County residents increased from 201 in the year 2000 to 226 in the year 2001. The 226 infant deaths in the year 2001 represented an infant mortality rate (IMR) of 7.7 per 1,000 live births. San Bernardino County has not yet reached the Healthy People 2010 Objective of 4.5 infant deaths per 1,000 live births.

Simple Infant Mortality Rates* San Bernardino County Residents, 1991-2001



NOTE: Infant Mortality Rate defined as infant (less than one year of age) deaths per 1,000 live births.
 *Simple Infant Mortality Rate defined as infant deaths in particular year divided by live births in that year, birth-deaths not matched.

Prepared by: Program Analysis and Statistics, County of San Bernardino Department of Public Health

Sources: (1) California Department of Health Services, Death Statistical Master Files, 1991-2001
 (2) California Department of Health Services, Birth Statistical Master Files, 1991-2001 August 2003

Appendix V

Homeless Census Data

***Community Action Partnership
(formerly Community Services Department)***



Homeless Survey Findings

The following section provides an overview of the findings that were generated from the 2003 San Bernardino County Homeless Survey. These findings are organized by key survey questions (in bold). Missing values have been intentionally omitted from the survey results, and all survey results display valid percentages only. Therefore, the total number of respondents for each question will not equal 1,723.

Demographics

In order to better understand the full diversity of homeless residents of San Bernardino County, the study included demographic questions such as age, gender, race/ethnicity, language, military service, educational attainment, residency, and family status.

Age

Most homeless respondents in San Bernardino County (79%) were between the ages of 26 – 55 years. However, 14% were 25 years old and younger (including 22 respondents who were under the age of 18) and 7% were over age 55 (including 5 respondents who were over the age of 75). The greatest portion of respondents was between the ages of 36 – 45 years, and the median age was 39 years.

Age of San Bernardino County Homeless Survey Respondents

Response	Frequency	Percent
Under 18 Years old	22	1.3
18-25 Years old	215	12.6
26 – 35 years old	388	22.7
36 – 45 years old	626	36.6
46 – 55 years old	333	19.5
56 – 65 years old	106	6.2
66 – 75 years old	15	0.9
Over 75 years old	5	0.3
Total	1,710	100.0

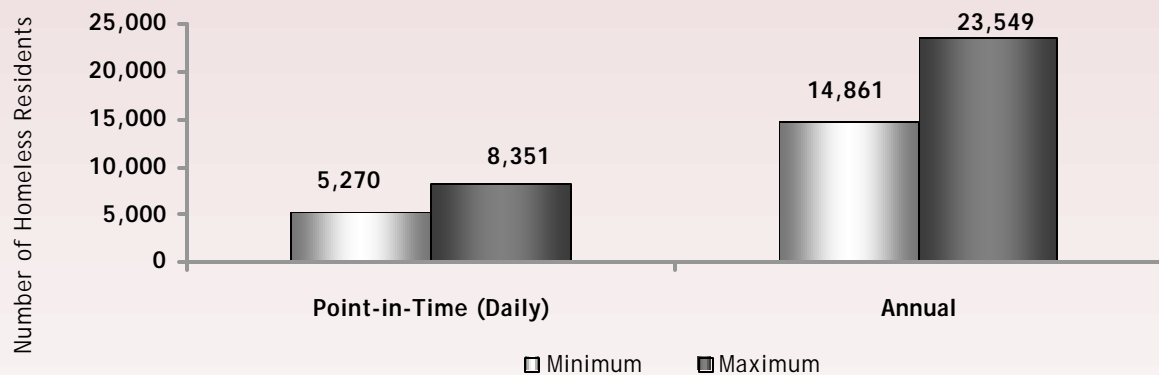
Source: Table 10, San Bernardino County 2003 Homeless Census and Survey

How Many People are Homeless?

The estimated point in time (daily) number of homeless residents in San Bernardino County in 2002 ranged between a minimum of 5,270 persons to as many as 8,351 persons. Survey data regarding the average length of homelessness indicates that the homeless population renews itself approximately 2.82 times during every year, or stated differently, that between 14,861 and 23,549 unduplicated San Bernardino County residents experience homelessness in a given year. This range represents between 0.8% and 1.3% of the County's total population. This percentage is comparable to current national estimates of homelessness, which range between 2.3 and 3.5 million individuals, or approximately 0.9% to 1.3% of the national population.

(Millions Still Face Homelessness in a Booming Economy: New Estimates Reveal a Large and Changing Homeless Population Served by Growing Diverse Network, Urban Institute, 2000).

Estimated Point-in-Time (Daily) and Annual Range of Homeless Residents in San Bernardino County, 2002



Most homeless counted in the census (67%) were observed during the street count. Additionally, many homeless (12%) were counted in transitional housing facilities and fewer (6%) were counted in emergency shelters. Overall, less than one-fifth of those counted were counted in shelter and transitional housing facilities. Further, many groups were likely to have been undercounted, including those who live in automobiles, vans, converted garages, and other structures not intended for human habitation.

Source: Figure 1, San Bernardino County 2003 Homeless Census and Survey

Inventory of Existing Homeless Shelter Services

To measure the adequacy of the existing services, a shelter service provider survey was conducted with all emergency, transitional, and permanent supportive housing services in the County. During the survey of shelter providers, shelter staff were asked to self-identify the category under which they provide housing — emergency shelter, transitional housing, and / or permanent supportive housing, as well as what type of clients for which housing is intended. This survey took place during the month of November 2002. The capacity information in the following tables summarizes their responses.

Emergency Shelter Capacity

Provider Name	Facility Name	<u>Bed</u> <u>Capacity</u>	
		Individuals	Families
Desert Manna Ministries	Desert Manna Ministries	43	0
Desert Sanctuary	Desert Sanctuary	0	15 (DV)
Doves of Big Bear	Doves of Big Bear	0	18 (DV)
Frazee Community Center	Palm House Shelter	15	15
High Desert Domestic Violence	High Desert Domestic Violence	0	25 (DV)
J.C. Enterprises	Davis Room & Board	11 (M)	0
J.C. Enterprises	Davis Room & Board	11 (SA)	0
Lucerne Valley Domestic Violence	Lucerne Valley Domestic Violence	0	10 (DV)
Morongo Basin Unity Home	Morongo Basin Unity Home	0	32 (DV)
Operation Grace	Operation Grace	4 (V)	6 (DV)
Option House, Inc.	Option House, Inc.	0	40 (DV)
Roseanne's Sober Living	Roseanne's Sober Living	12	0
Salvation Army	Hospitality HUse	30	44
Solutions Educational Center	Solutions Educational Center	6 (Y)	0
Victor Valley Domestic Violence	A Better Way Shelter	0	18
Total—Emergency Shelter		132	223

Note: DD= shelter for dually diagnosed, DV= domestic violence shelter, HIV= shelter for homeless with HIV/AIDS, MI= shelter for mentally ill, SA= shelter for substance abusers, V= shelter for veterans, Y= shelter for youth under age 18.

Table 21-Transitional Housing Capacity

PROVIDER NAME	FACILITY NAME	BED CAPACITY	
		INDIVIDUALS	FAMILIES
Awakening Ranch	Awakening Ranch	16	0
Cedar House Rehabilitation Center	Cedar House Rehabilitation Center	54 (SA)	0
Cedar House Rehabilitation Center	Cedar House Rehabilitation Center	14 (DD)	0
Central City Lutheran Mission	Central City Lutheran Mission	9	0
Community Services Department	Obershaw House	0	28
Fontana Native American Center	Fontana Native American Center	0	20
Foothill Family Shelter	Foothill Family Shelter	0	48
Frazee Community Center	Frazee Community Center	8 (V)	0
Frazee Community Center	Frazee Community Center	24	0
High Desert Homeless Services	High Desert Homeless Services	16	40
Inland Temporary Homes	Inland Temporary Homes	0	40
Inland Valley Recovery	Inland Valley Recovery	79 (SA)	20
Inner Vision	Inner Vision	18 (SA)	0
Knott's Group Home	Knott's Group Home	0	36
Lillie Ruff, Inc.	Lillie Ruff, Inc.	12 (MI)	0
Mary's Mercy Center, Inc.	Veronica's House of Mercy	0	43
New Hope Village	New Hope Village	2	14
New Spirit Living	New Spirit Living	40 (SA)	0
Oasis House	Oasis House	28 (SA)	0
Option House	Option House	0	19
PAL Center	Operation Safe Harbor	12	0
Roseanne's Sober Living	Roseanne's Sober Living	8	0
Set Free Christian Fellowship	Set Free Christian Fellowship	76	12
Shobai Inc / Malacai House	Shobai Inc / Malacai House	19 (MI)	0
St. John of God Health Care	St. John of God Health Care	85 (V,SA)	24
True Vine	True Vine	14	0
Gibson House for Men	Gibson House for Men	39 (SA)	0
Gibson House for Women	Gibson House for Women	40 (SA)	0
Harris House	Harris House	26 (V)	0
Victor Valley Domestic Violence	A Better Way Shelter	2	12
Victory Outreach	Victory Outreach	54	0
Total - Transitional Housing		695	356

Appendix VI

Children's Fund



Children's Fund Annual Report

July 1, 2002 - June 30, 2003

PURPOSE

The purpose of the Children's Fund is to ensure that children who are at risk in our community because of abuse, neglect, abandonment or circumstance receive adequate food, shelter, clothing, health care, education and are provided equal opportunity for social development. Children's Fund is a private, not-for-profit 501(c)(3) organization that calls to action private business, the public sector, and concerned citizens to form a public/private partnership.

HISTORY

Children's Fund was established in 1986 by the board of supervisors as the non-profit component of San Bernardino County's model agency, Children's Network. It was designed to be a true private-public partnership. The county provides modest funding for administrative overhead, so every dollar raised by the Fund goes directly into a trust account to meet the needs of the newborn to eighteen-year-olds that are at risk in San Bernardino County. Goods and services that are not available through other agencies are provided through Children's Fund.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

In 2003/2004, Joseph P. Barr, Principal and Director of Audit, Swenson Corporation, serves as Chairman of the Board, for the 26-member Board of Directors. David Harris, Partner, Ernst & Young LLP, serves as Vice Chairman. Founding Chairman Emeritus is Jack Brown, CEO, President and Chairman of the Board of Stater Bros. Markets. The all-volunteer board is comprised of successful businessmen and women who share a concern and desire to do something positive about the plight of underprivileged and abused children. By design, the board has a broad base of representation that takes into consideration not only geography, but cultural backgrounds and special interests as well.



MEETING FORMAT

The Children's Fund Board of Directors meets monthly at a previously designated time and place. The Executive Committee of the Board of Directors, which is comprised of the officers of the board, also meets monthly at a previously designated time and place. The Chairman of the Board chairs both meetings, and minutes of the meetings are maintained in the Children's Fund office, which is located in the County Government Center. Committees of the board consist of: Fund Raising, Marketing, Program, Operations, and an Education First Task Force which was set up in 1999 to explore a restructuring of our school for children of homeless families.

AUXILIARIES

Children's Fund enjoys the support of two auxiliaries, the Bonnes Meres Auxiliary in Redlands and the Claremont Auxiliary. Both are seasoned fund raising groups, and together their efforts contributed \$70,415 to the trust account of Children's Fund in 2002/2003.

Additionally, the auxiliaries support the mission of the agency by heightening public awareness regarding at-risk children.

SERVICE DELIVERY

Social Workers/Case Managers from any of the 19 member agencies of the Children's Network, agencies such as Department of Children's Services/Child Protective Services, Public Health, and the County Schools, are eligible to submit a request for resources needed by a children on his/her caseload. In 2002/2003 a total of 2,730 requests were filled and 48,315 children were served.

MAJOR CATEGORIES OF SERVICE

Children's Fund serves children under three major categories:
Daily Referral Activity, Community Outreach and Proprietary Projects.

Daily Referral Activity: This is the first priority. Requests that are made daily by case manager/social workers fall under this heading, and include such necessities as diapers, emergency food, clothing, medical care, cribs, beds, car seats, etc. The greatest number of these referrals are for items costing under \$200.00, but are not available elsewhere and are essential to the child's well being. The amount expended under this category in 2002/2003 was \$407,565.

Community Outreach: Included in this category is the annual Celebration of Giving Holiday project as well as pediculosis control funding support, the April Child Abuse Prevention Month, and much more. The amount expended under this category in 2002/2003 was \$863,352, a large portion of which is the Annual Christmas Campaign. In addition, Children's Fund continued to serve as the fiscal agent for a grant with the Centers for Disease Control. This grant was designed to target teen pregnancy reduction and is a collaborative with Children's Network, Loma Linda University School of Public Health and the Department of Public Health. The amount expended under this category in 2001/2002 was \$494,438.

Proprietary Projects:

This particular category includes two major projects that are viewed as priorities by Children's Fund Board of Directors. The amount expended for our proprietary projects in 2002/2003 was \$135,781.

Education First :

This program ensures school for children of homeless families; it has completed nine successful year of holistically attending to the needs of homeless children and their families. Other agencies intricately involved in Education First are the San Bernardino City Unified School District, County Superintendent of Schools, Community Services Department, Department of Public Health, Department of Public Social Services, the Homeless Coalition, and the Children's Network. In 2000, Children's Fund provided dollars to hire a Public Health Nurse to the case management team to address the health concerns of the children and families.

The Children's Assessment Center

This center and its programs receive special attention from the Children's Fund for those things not available through other participating agencies. Other significant agencies contributing to the Children's Assessment Center include the San Bernardino County's Human Services System, Department of Public Health, Arrowhead Regional Medical Center, County Counsel, District Attorney, Sheriffs' Department, Children's Network, Juvenile Court, Family Court Services and Loma Linda University Children's Hospital. The center provides medical examinations and forensic interviews for children who are suspected of having been sexually and/or physically abused. In 1998/99, Children's Fund Board of Directors embarked on a capital campaign to purchase land and a building to permanently house the Center. The Center officially opened in November of 1999.

Total Cash/In-Kind Expended in 2002/2003 = \$1,881,895



FUND RAISING ACTIVITY

Children's Fund is proud that for eight-years in a row it has exceeded the \$1,000,000 mark, and since inception in 1994, has now raised \$15,685,359 for the children at-risk in the community. In 2002/2003 the gross revenue was \$2,655,518, which includes all donations, both monetary and in-kind, and gross dollars raised on events. This reflects an increase of 5% from last year's efforts.

Grants:

In the area of grant funding, and as stated under our community outreach, Children's Fund was once again the fiscal agent for a grant through the Centers of Disease Control to target teen pregnancy reduction. Children's Fund was also the recipient of grants for emergency medical needs for children throughout San Bernardino County, emergency needs in general such as food and clothing in the City of San Bernardino, and support of the Education First program. Total grant funding for 2002/2003 was \$629,932.

Cash:

Cash is broken down by source of revenue. Our largest fund-raiser was again the A. Gary Anderson Memorial Golf Classic. The total cash amount of \$1,030,627 was raised through several activities as well as outright gifts. Included in the projects were:

Eleventh Annual A. Gary Anderson Golf Classic:	\$276,753
Eleventh Annual Rubber Duck Race :	\$60,353
Annual Celebration of Giving :	\$653,501
President's Circle Forums :	\$66,143
Auxiliaries :	\$70,415
Other Donations :	\$982,604

Other donations include support of the Children's Fund Assessment Center Campaign, as pledges are being received over a five-year period, as well as many individual and corporate donations including the San Bernardino County Employee Giving Campaign.

In-Kind Goods and Services:

The largest amount under in-kind, per our usual, was due to the Celebration of Giving, in conjunction with the Department of Children's Services Sugar Plum Project, which served over 27,000 children, totaling \$737,901. With other in-kind donations included, the total for 2002/2003 was \$994,959.

Administrative Funding:

In addition, the County of San Bernardino and Board of Supervisors continue to support Children's Fund's administrative costs which makes it possible for **ALL** donations to serve children at risk throughout San Bernardino County.

Fund Raising Total for 2002/2003 = \$2,655,518

Appendix VIII

Inland Regional Center



INLAND REGIONAL CENTER CHILDREN SERVICES PROGRAMS

Inland Regional Center provides diagnostic and case management services for children who have a developmental disability in San Bernardino and Riverside counties. There are approximately 9,000 children served in the two county area with 5,443 children residing in San Bernardino County. The focus of the case management services is to assist families in developing a greater understanding of their child's developmental needs as well as exploring the availability of natural supports and services in their neighborhoods. Our goal is to maintain children in their parental homes by providing the information and referrals for supports and services within their community which will address the individual needs of their child and assure that each child is a part of the normal routines and rhythms of their community.

Consumers aged 0-21; status 1-2; San Bernardino County

All Consumers	5443
Type of Residences	
11 - Home of parent/family/guardian	5038
13 - Independent living	10
42 - California Youth Authority	2
45 - CCF (1-3 beds)	6
46 - CCF (4-6 beds)	54
53 - ICF/D.D.	2
85 - Sub-acute Pediatric	30
Diagnostic Information	
Mental Retardation	3652
Cerebral Palsy	1181
Autism	727
Epilepsy/Seizure Disorder	930
Other Type of Disability	324
Risk Factors	
Low birth weight or preterm labor with complications	689
Teenage pregnancy (17 years and younger)	157
Maternal age 35 years or older at time of delivery	369
Accidents of near drowning	19
Accidents involving an automobile	34
Accidents involving other types of vehicles	5
Accidents of other types	56
Environmental toxins (pesticides, lead, etc.)	16
Drug or alcohol abuse	354
Psychosocial (environmental) deprivation	191
Family history of mental retardation	544
Mental Disorders	271
Other causes	281
Special Legal Conditions	
Currently on Probation	11
Currently on Diversion	1
Currently a person within the provisions of Welfare	2
Currently a dependent child of the Court	153
No Special Legal Condition	5276

Appendix IX

Cash Benefits & Welfare Population Statistics



**Cities Cash Benefit Population
Ranked By Percentage of Population
on January 1, 2003**

CITY	% OF PEOPLE ON CASH AID
San Bernardino	14.1%
Adelanto	13.1%
Barstow	12.0%
Needles	8.7%
Victorville	8.5%
Apple Valley	7.3%
Colton	7.2%
Rialto	7.2%
Fontana	6.3%
Yucca Valley	6.3%
Hesperia	6.1%
Highland	5.6%
Twentynine Palms	5.3%
Big Bear Lake	4.4%
Montclair	3.6%
Ontario	3.4%
Redlands	3.3%
Loma Linda	2.8%
Yucaipa	2.7%
Upland	2.6%
Unincorporated	2.3%
Grand Terrace	2.0%
Chino	1.8%
Rancho Cucamonga	0.8%
Chino Hills	0.5%

**Welfare Population Statistics By City, San Bernardino County
At January 1, 2003**

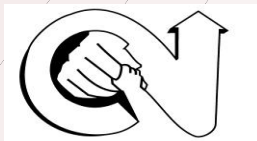
City	Cash Benefit*	Only Food Stamps & Medi-Cal	Only Medi-Cal	Only Food Stamps	Total On Aid	General Population**	% of People On Aid
Adelanto	2,543	520	2,542	285	5,890	19,400	30.7%
Apple	4,291	712	5,474	704	11,181	58,900	19.0%
Barstow	2,753	491	2,843	387	6,474	23,000	28.1%
Big Bear	257	21	538	46	862	5,875	14.7%
Chino	1,244	262	4222	245	5,973	70,7000	8.5%
Chino Hills	334	117	1707	88	2,246	73,000	3.1%
Colton	3,637	163	5,722	946	10,468	50,200	20.9%
Fontana	9,171	1,872	19,071	1,605	31,719	145,800	21.8%
Grand Terrace	246	—	413	52	711	12,100	5.9%
Hesperia	4,116	919	6,537	826	12,398	67,800	18.3%
Highland	2,638	251	3,332	411	6,643	47,400	14.0%
Loma Linda	564	109	1281	87	2,041	20,150	10.1
Montclair	1,227	265	3,898	229	5,619	34,300	16.4%
Needles	454	95	610	66	1,225	5,225	23.4%
Ontario	5,708	1,395	17,926	1,064	26,093	165,700	15.7%
Rancho Cucamonga	1,222	276	3,181	274	4,953	146,700	3.4%
Redlands	2,235	367	3,937	407	6,946	67,600	10.3%
Rialto	6,988	269	10,324	1,841	19,422	96,600	20.1%
San Bernardino	27,312	2,627	27,992	4,175	62,106	194,100	32.0%
Twentynine Palms	1,344	188	1,233	241	3,006	25,150	12.0%
Upland	1,849	329	3,871	277	6,326	71,800	8.8%
Victorville	6,151	1,119	7,396	955	15,621	72,500	21.5%
Yucaipa	1,182	231	2,956	223	4,592	45,400	10.1%
Yucca Valley	1,124	195	2,084	179	3,582	17,950	20.0%
Unincorporated	6,678	1,247	12,469	1,507	21,901	295,700	7.4%
TOTAL	95,268	14,040	151,559	17,131	277,998	1,833,050	15.2%

*Most Cash Benefit recipients also receive Food Stamp and Medi-Cal benefits

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